

# BROWNELL EVERBLOOMING PILLARS

*Little Compton, R.I.*

THEY CAN  
GROW AS  
TALL AS  
HARDY  
CLIMBERS  
AND  
BLOOM AS  
FREELY AS  
HYBRID  
TEAS

Yellow 84 →

← Pink

← Light Yellow

← Red

← Light  
Pink

Experts say—MARVELOUS!

Some declare—A MIRACLE!

Others exclaim—ASTOUNDING!

Because they are something NEW, DIFFERENT, and BEAUTIFUL.

Their outstanding new feature is that they bloom on canes and all branches the year they grow as they mature—yes, even the first year; like Hybrid Teas.

Some grow as tall as the tallest Climbers; some as high as Pillars, others may be cut back to grow giant Hybrid Tea bushes; 4 feet tall or 8 feet high; a compact bush in the lawn or shrubbery. Removing faded flowers increases rebloom.

They are Sub Zero, like hardy Climbers.

Be the first to show them to your gardening friends.

Think of "Brownell Everblooming Pillars" as Hybrid Teas, because that is what they really are, as they bloom on all stems and canes as they mature the year they grow. They can be grown as bushes cut

back to any height, and some even to lay on top of the garage, all to bloom until frost. Planting 3 inches below bed level will protect them against very low sub-zero, by their tremendous vigor to form a tall, ever-blooming bush year after year.

●Three plants of this marvelous innovation, only \$10.00●

Order by color.

Send for free pictured list of Sub Zero HYBRID TEAS, FLORABUNDAS, and HARDY CLIMBERS

**BROWNELL  
ROSES**

Little Compton,  
RHODE ISLAND

Enclosed \$10.00.....

Send your selection 3 plants  
Brownell Everblooming Pillars to:

NAME .....

STREET .....

CITY..... STATE .....

# BROWNELL SUB ZERO HYBRID TEAS

## Handsom Red

No printed page can show the full beauty of this new variety. It has its own wonderful velvety sheen. In fact, so many garden visitors have exclaimed: "That is the most beautiful red Rose I have ever seen," we offer to refund your payment for the first bush purchased of us, if you do not agree, and you may keep that plant.

**Price, \$3.00 each**



Orange Ruffels

Pink Boquet



New Florabunda Red 112



Delightful

### ORANGE RUFFELS

One of the most beautiful Roses of all times. Unsurpassed in its brilliant charm. A gorgeous new color of orange never before found in Rosa. It is luminous like glowing sunshine in the rain. Large flowers mostly singly on stems constantly in great abundance. As many as 50 petals gracefully warped, curled, frilled and ruffled, artfully shading from Capricorn Orange through Saturn to Saffron Yellow. Can you imagine all this? And add Sub Zero and no blackspot.

**NEW FLORABUNDA RED 112**

**PINK BOQUET.** A vigorous, sturdy bush clustered all season with charming, recurved, double blooms of Florabunda size and beauty. Number seven of our new Race that harbor no blackspot.

**DELIGHTFUL.** Beautiful as is the picture, it does not do justice; variable on the same bush are brilliant light yellow flowers, others glistening yellow ochre, all splashed and sketched with crimson markings in many tones, its grace of form is enticing.

**Prices of Hybrid Teas and Florabundas except as noted, \$1.75 each; three alike or assorted \$5.00; \$18 a dozen**

### WATER! A NEW DISCOVERY!

Roses do better everywhere with more water. It is not the hot sun that gets them, it is lack of sufficient water.

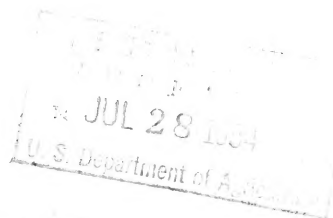
*Can I grow Brownell Roses in the deep South?*

Yes, they can do beautifully in any garden in the United States and Canada, even in Florida. Where the sun is hot, mulch and soak the beds frequently.

**BROWNELL ROSE RESEARCH GARDENS  
LITTLE COMPTON, RHODE ISLAND**

July 23, 1954

Library, U. S. Department  
of Agriculture  
Washington 25, D. C.



Gentlemen:

Are you a graduate of Harvard University?

Whether you are or not you will be interested to hear what Dr. J. Leslie Rollins, Assistant Dean of the Graduate School of Business Administration at Harvard University, writes -

"My new order will include a few more friends that I have introduced to the Brownell family. I don't think I have done anything that would bring more happiness to all these people."

If your customers only knew more about the greater satisfaction from growing these new Races of Roses, with their superior vigor, more blooms, more constantly over many times as many years, bearing flowers of equal size, form and beauty, you would bring more joy to them and to yourself.

You might develop this by arranging with your nearest Municipality for a Civic Garden planting of Brownell Roses, at a very special price to them or even a donation in whole or in part by us if no local funds are available for their purchase.

Best to order early because one of the orders just received is for 40,000 Brownell Roses; and we never have enough.

No change in wholesale prices or in Royalty and Commission under budding license.

Glad to hear from you.

Sincerely,

Brownell Rose Research Gardens  
*Walter D. Brownell*  
Walter D. Brownell  
Research Director



## Brownell Acclaimed



**Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Brownell at work in the hybridizing fields**

LITTLE COMPTON, R. I.—Walter D. Brownell of the Brownell Rose Research Gardens here, recently received the Jane Righter Rose Medal award of the Garden Club of America, under the following citation:

"The War of the Roses was fought in England centuries ago. A far more recent victory has been won almost single-handed in this country by Walter Brownell who vanquished that enemy of the Rose, Blackspot.

"This remarkable man retired from the practice of the law to devote his life to the perfection of the most splendid of flowers, the Rose.

"He became a student of genetics and planned his hybridizing program, using scientific principles with a definite objective. His efforts have been along original lines with the result that he has given America a new race of Roses of exceptional value. Thousands who never before could grow them are now successful since the development of the Sub Zero Rose. His name is acclaimed from Saskatchewan to Texas, from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Not satisfied with these accomplishments he has added greater fragrance to the Hybrid Teas.

"Mr. Brownell richly deserves recognition also for the recent everblooming pillars and creepers which have the beauty and size of Hybrid Teas.

"So we quote Marcus Aurelius—'Doth perfect beauty stand in need of praise at all? Nay; no more than law, no more than truth, no more than loving kindness, nor than modesty.' But to Walter

D. Brownell who enables us to show that perfect beauty The Garden Club of America is happy to present the Jane Righter Rose Medal, grateful that 'The Rose is Heaven's utterance of a kiss.' "

### Added

Mr. and Mrs. Brownell, pictured above in a section of their Rose test garden, were honored late last year by a "Citation from the New York Society of Arts and Sciences, Brooklyn Botanic Gardens division."

"THE BROWNELLS (Mr. and Mrs. Walter D.) of Little Compton, Rhode Island—

"Rose hybridizers for over 50 years.

"From the wild Rose (*Rosa Wichuriana*) of the Orient, you have literally picked out the inherited characteristics of subzero hardiness and resistance to disease, and through long term breeding with other desirable Roses—have given to horticulture a considerable number of significant new forms.

"And your keen eyes discovered the natural mutation that combined tallness and everbloom—and your breeding from this parentage is producing for the first time Roses that are tall and everblooming.

"For the millions of new Roses you have hybridized and grown and the 56 varieties you have selected from these as worthy of your standards for introduction to the world of horticulture, the Brooklyn Botanic Garden awards you its Medal for Distinguished Service."

